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To Nurserymen, Florists and Seedsmen.

CURRANTS TO BURN! APPLE SEEDLINGS.

Is what we thought we were going to have next Spring, but we showed a few people what a fine lot of plants we had, reduced prices upon them, and they have been going off very lively. We still have a moderate surplus though, and will quote low prices till closed out. Finer plants never grew.

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Raspberries,	Blackberries,
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Ornamental Trees,	Roses.

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
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
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Issued Monthly. Sent only to those in the trade. We do not solicit subscriptions. If you value THE PRACTICAL NURSERYMAN, please accept it with our compliments. Our circulation covers a list of 2,300 selected names of customers and correspondents, made up through many years of active wholesale business. Every name represents a buyer of nursery stock, and this list contains only the names of those who buy at wholesale.

Advertisements 10c. a line agate; \$20.00 a page; one-half page \$10.00; one-fourth page \$5.00. Advertisements must be received one week before the day of publication. Advertisements for less than \$5.00 will not be accepted. Discounts: 3 times 5 per cent.; 6 times 10 per cent.; 12 times 25 per cent.

The circulation of this Journal will be confined strictly to Nurserymen, Florists and Seedsmen, and only invited advertisements of articles pertaining specially to these trades will be inserted.

The Cincincis Pear.

Having tested the Cincincis pear for the past six years along with the LeConte, Kieffer and Garber, to which class it belongs, I submit the following report:

In growth and general appearance the Cincincis more closely resembles the LeConte than any of the other varieties mentioned above, but is more robust and vigorous and the foliage is of a darker green than the LeConte. The fruit is much the shape of the LeConte, but larger in size. Its time of ripening is about that of the Kieffer or a little later. It has better keeping and shipping qualities than any of the other orientals. In quality of fruit I place it at the head of the list. It has a decided acid flavor, cooks quicker and makes a fine sauce. If picked when matured and stored away in a dark, cool place it ripens in from four to six weeks into a rich golden yellow, becomes quite mellow and tastes so much like an apple that if eaten in the dark no one would take it for a pear.

I understand the Cincincis was brought to this State from Illinois by its originator. I do not think it ever fruited in Illinois. I find it grows more readily from cuttings than LeConte.

I think the originator of Cincincis lives near Fruitland Park, Fla., but I do not know his name. I understand it is planted quite extensively in that section.

The Cincincis succeeds much farther south than any other, comes into bearing at about five years old and is enormously productive.

I have had only two years experience with the blight, and during that time I have lost fully 50 per cent of my LeConte and Kieffer trees with this dread disease, while the Cincincis, scattered among them, its limbs almost touching the dying trees, has not shown so much as a single blighted leaf.

I believe any one wishing to plant pear trees, either for home use or for market, can plant the Cincincis with perfect confidence that it is the best pear for the South.

T. K. GODBEY.

Waldo, Fla.

Chestnuts as Food.

Many chestnuts are superior to potatoes for food. There is as much azote matter in a kilogram of chestnuts, when the kernel contains 50 per cent. of water, as in half a kilogram of bread. When dry it has at least four times as much sweet and feculous matter as the best kind of a potato.

In many of the provinces of France chestnuts annually contribute a large part of the public food.

A doctor from Pietra Santa says that the chesnut groves during a large part of the year yield the principal nourishment to the poor of Cevennes, Limousin, and the Corse. Cakes are made from chestnut flour which will last a long time.

By mixing the flour in a little salted water a bouillon is made which is very agreeable, especially if a little fresh milk is added to it. It was the polenta, a favorite food of the agricultural population of the ancient duchies of Luques and Modene. These people never ate meat nor drank wine, and they worked from ten to twelve hours a day; they often lived in close huts, and yet enjoyed perfect health and great muscular strength.

The principal value of the chestnut is its easy digestibility over all other flours, especially when boiled or baked.—Translated by Sarah D. Lanning from La Semaine Horticole.

THE HUNTSVILLE WHOLESALE NURSERIES PRICE LIST.

The Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries.

JESSIE S. MOSS, PROPRIETOR.

W. F. HEIKES, MANAGER.

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W. F. HEIKES, MANAGER,
HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA.

Fall of 1897 and Spring of 1898.

ENTOMOLOGIST'S CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that on May 21st, 1897, I personally examined all stock of the Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries, and found it entirely free from San Jose scale and otherwise in excellent condition.

Carl F. Baker

Entomologist of State Expt. Sta., Auburn, Ala.

We dig each order separately and not until time to ship. The trees are taken to the packing-house as fast as dug, and boxed immediately. We do not "heel in" anything. Everything is sent out fresh. That is worth a big per centage to the customer who is expecting his trees on time and in good condition to handle again in filling orders.

We offer the following deserving specialties: Pears:—Koonce, Lincoln, Lincoln Coreless, Cannons and Japan Golden Russett. Plums—Milton, Chas. Downing, Red June, Willard, Wickson. Peaches—Triumph and Greensboro.

We wish our customers to keep in mind, when considering prices offered by others, that we hold to our high standard in grading and quality of our stock and that we ship promptly and handle trees in a better manner than any one else in the trade

THE HUNTSVILLE WHOLESALE NURSERIES PRICE LIST.

In this issue of our price list we show the numbers, sizes and prices of all varieties remaining unsold to date. Correspondents should, however, give us the privilege of substituting varieties, sizes and prices, as far as it can be allowed, if in a hurry for shipment, as we do not substitute, as a rule, without permission.

We are now booking orders for Spring delivery for Northern customers. Business for Spring is more active than for several years past.

GRADE-COUNT QUOTATIONS.

The publication of this list abrogates previous quotations.

Except where prices are agreed upon, these quotations are subject to change without notice.

See Terms and Conditions governing these quotations on another page.

Should the grade ordered be sold, state whether the next higher or lower grade may be substituted

PEARS, Standard.	Easter.	Editor	Eldest.	Ellicit.	Empire.	Entrap.	Enrich.
Two Years.	1 to 1½ in.	5 to 7 feet	5 to 7 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 ft.	4 to 5 ft.
Root-grafts.	Extra.	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16	½ to 9-16
	Per M \$80	Per M \$85	Per M \$60	Per M \$55	Per M \$50	Per M \$45	Per M \$40
	" C 9.50	" C 7.50	" C 7	" C 5.50	" C 6	" C 5	" C 4.50
Kieffer.....	1100	350	..	..	..	..	..

These were very strong, handsome one-year trees, mostly 4 to 5 feet high, and many of them ½ inch calibre. They were grown from root-grafts, transplanted at one year old, cut back to the ground and one shoot allowed to grow. They have the appearance of two-year buds, and are very fine roots and tops.

PEARS, Standard.	Edible.	Edifice.	Enlarge.	Elbow.	Elegy.	Engage.
Two Years.	1 to 1½ in.	5 to 7 feet	5 to 7 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet
Budded on Transplanted Stocks	Extra.	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	¾ to 11-16	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16
	Per M \$80	Per M \$85	Per M \$60	Per M	Per M	Per M
	" C 9.50	" C 7.50	" C 7	" C	" C	" C
Garber.....	3100	..	..	..	..	..
SPECIAL.	Pr C \$12.50	Pr C \$10	Pr C \$9.50	Pr C \$9	Pr C \$3	Pr C \$7.50
Koonce.....	300	480	..	..	125	25

PEARS, Standard.	Event.	Evade.	Evict.	Evening.
One Year.	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 feet	2 to 3 feet
Special Varieties.	Per M \$	" C 8	" C 7.50	..
Little if any bran.	" C 10	..	..	..
Koonce.....	2130	..	40	..

CHICKASAW PLUMS, 2 Years.	Knavish.	Knitting.	Knotty.	Knowing.	Knuckle.	Koran.	Kitchen
On Mariana.	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	5 to 6 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	4 to 5 feet	3 to 4 ft.
Well branched.	¾ to 1 in.	11-16 to ¾	11-16 to ¾	9-16 to ¾	½ to 9-16	7-16 to ½	..
	Per M \$75	Per M \$70	Per M \$65	Per M \$55	Per M \$50	Per M \$40	Per M \$35
	" C 8.50	" C 8	" C 7	" C 6.50	" C 6	" C 5	" C 4
Pottawattamie.....	150	160	175	290	400	460	370
Robinson.....	950	370	350	450	400	520	710
Wild Goose.....	400	..	250	120	70	..	..

SPECIAL.	Per C \$12.60	Per C \$11.50	Per C \$10	Per C \$10	Per \$10	Per C \$10
Milton.....	1400	340	600	..	..	240
Chas. Downing.....	25	62	40	10	70	230
Sophia.....	10	17	..	..	90	240
Marcus.....	..	..	5	15	35	100
Penning's Peach.....	..	..	5	..	17	35
Harrisons.....	..	2	..	9	20	45
Knudsons.....	..	2	10	11	19	20
Jas. Vicks.....	32	21	39	30	48	25
Col. Wilder.....	18	29	34	20	23	10
Esther.....	4	11	10	5	8	7
Prairie Flower.....	2	6	8	3	9	10
New-Ulm.....
ONE YEAR.
Benson Mollie.....	55	57	117	134	158	225

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AMERICANA	Hammer.	Happen.	Harden.	Harrov.	Hasten.	Hatter.	Haven.
PLUMS, 2 Years.	5 to 6 feet ¾ to 1 in.	5 to 6 feet 11-16 to ¾	5 to 6 feet ¾ to 11-16	4 to 5 feet 9-16 to ¾	4 to 5 feet ¾ to 9-16	4 to 5 feet 7-16 to ½	3 to 4 feet
On Marianna.	Per M \$75	Per M \$70	Per M \$65	Per M \$55	Per M \$50	Per M \$40	Per M \$35
Well branched.	C 8.50	C 8	C 7	C 6.50	C 6	C 5	C 4
Illinois Ironclad.....	8	25	100	140	170	120	140
DeSoto.....	2540	730	1020	860			590
Forest Garden.....	2300	2370	1090	1680	2090	1200	1570
Hawkeye.....		820	340	720	540	220	550
Quaker.....	90	360	440	580	300	470	360
Forest Rose.....	240	90	25	30			
Weaver.....	650	620	225	360	125		220
Wolf.....	1350	1540	1850	2650	1810	1170	1750
Wyant.....	65	150	330	780	840	300	1210

SPECIAL.

Stoddard.....	Any size 15 cents	20	65	130	130	90
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ORIENTAL	Hillock.	Hickory.	History.	Hidden.	Hiding.	Heiffer.	Hinder.
PLUMS, 2 Years.	5 to 6 feet ¾ to 1 in.	5 to 6 feet 11-16 to ¾	5 to 6 feet ¾ to 11-16	4 to 5 feet 9-16 to ¾	4 to 5 feet ¾ to 9-16	4 to 5 ft. 7-16 to ½	3 to 4 feet
On Marianna.	Per M \$75	Per M \$70	Per M \$65	Per M \$55	Per M \$50	Per M \$40	Per M \$35
Well branched.	C 8.50	C 8	C 7	C 6.50	C 6	C 5	C 4
Ogon.....	550	25	160	170			
Yosobe.....	340	130	120	15			
Strawberry.....	180	60	40	30			
Maru.....	55	4	3	12			
Berger.....	170	135	100	80	50	55	
Kerr.....	520	110	90	110	10		
Satsuma.....	5000	4400	3000				

ORIENTAL	Lesson.	Letter.	Liking.	Limber.	Limpid.	Linger.	Liquor.
PLUMS, 1 Year.	5 ft. & up. 11-16 & up	4 to 6 feet ¾ to 11-16	4 to 5 feet 9-16 to ¾	4 to 5 feet ¾ to 9-16	4 to 5 feet 7-16 to ½	3 to 4 feet	2 to 3 ft.
On Marianna.	Per M \$65	Per M \$60	Per M \$50	Per M \$45	Per M \$40	Per M \$30	Per M \$25
Plum. Bran'ed	C 7.50	C 7	C 6	C 5.50	C 5	C 4	C 3.50
Abundance (Botan)...	710	1780	1800	2250	1080	550	
Burbank.....	640	940	1300	260			
Red June.....	1670						
Red Nagate.....	1700	840	450	520	330	310	168
Satsuma.....	5000	1540	2420	2900	5430	3000	1000
Willard.....	1320	820	840	674	210	10	65

SPECIAL.

Pr C \$12.50	Pr C \$11.50	Pr C \$10	Pr C \$9	Pr C \$3.50	Pr C \$8	Pr C \$7.50
Wickson.....					150	250

Satsuma in lots of 300 or more 7-16 to ¾, \$35 per 1000; 3 to 4 feet, \$30; 2 to 3 feet, \$25 per 1000.

PLUMS ON PEACH.

ORIENTAL	Helper.	Helmet.	Hemlock.	Herald.	Herbal.	Hermit.	Hero.
PLUMS, 1 Year.	5 to 6 feet ¾ to 1 in.	5 to 6 feet 11-16 to ¾	5 to 6 feet ¾ to 11-16	4 to 5 feet 9-16 to ¾	4 to 5 feet ¾ to 9-16	4 to 5 feet 7-16 to ½	3 to 4 ft.
On Peach.	Per M \$35	Per M \$30	Per M \$50	Per M \$45	Per M \$40	Per M \$35	Per M \$30
Well Branched.	C 9.50	C 9	C 6	C 5.50	C 6	C 4	C 3.50
Abundance.....	450	470	870	820			2000
Burbank.....	1135	1300	1000	1700	1100	1100	880
Red June.....	730	960	620	2000	2100	3500	5800
Red Nagate.....	340	720	320	950	1010	1400	2400

Two to three feet at \$20 per 1000.

CHERRIES, 2 Yrs	Object.	Oblige.	Oblong.	Octave.	Office.	Onward.	Oppose.
	3 ft. & up. ¾ to 1 in.	5 to 6 feet 11-16 to ¾	4 to 5 feet ¾ to 11-16	4 to 5 feet 9-16 to ¾	4 to 5 feet ¾ to 9-16	3 to 4 feet	2 to 3 ft
Well branched.	Per M \$55	Per M \$45	Per M \$40	Per M \$35	Per M \$30	Per M \$35	Per M \$30
	C 6	C 5.50	C 5	C 4.50	C 4	C 3	C 3
B. Tartarian.....		1700	2530	2400	1200		
Dyehouse.....	10600						
Early Richmond.....	17900	10900	12670	7420	4800		
Montmorency, Ord.....	580	600	1200	1150	1280		
Early Lamaurie.....	1870	500		130	60		
Gov. Wood.....			100				
Montmorency, Large.	2610			2050	2665		
Windsor.....							
Lutovka.....	5620	1628	1045	350	840		
Vladimir.....	950	250	680	700	1300		

The Early Lamaurie belongs to the H. & B. class, very hardy and prolific. Ripens with or before Early Purple Guigne; color, black. Holds its foliage better than any other in the South.

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APPLE SEEDLINGS, No. 1, 3-16 and up, \$3.50 per 1000; No. 2, 2-16 to 3-16, \$1.75 per 1000 in 5000 lots at Huntsville. Less quantities, 50 cents per 1000 additional.

PEACH TREES--On Peach, Leading Varieties.

Our Peach Trees are budded on seedlings grown from Tennessee and Alabama Pits. They are free from Aphis or Root-knots, and have fewer borers than those from most nurseries.

We can supply beautiful medium and small-sized peach trees. The lands upon which our peach trees are grown this year produces a light, well-matured tree, with fine roots. These trees will answer well the purpose of "June Buds," and are very much better to transplant, as they will be well matured to the terminal bud, while June Buds are often tender at the tips. The little trees we offer should not be confounded with the little culls left after the larger trees have been dug and offered so cheaply by other nurseries. Our peach trees have been grown with especial reference to the Southern trade, where small sizes are mostly wanted. The Yellows and Rosette are unknown in this locality, and we have been careful not to bring in any buds from affected localities.

PEACH TREES.	Ransom. 5 to 6 feet % & up. Per M \$30	Rattle. 4 to 6 feet 9-16 to % Per M \$30	Rebate. 4 to 5 feet % to 9-16 Per M \$25	Recite. 3 to 4 feet 7-16 to % Per M \$25	Render. 3 to 4 feet 2 to 3 feet Under 7-16 Per M \$20	Resource. 2 to 3 feet Per M \$15	Rabbit. 1 to 2 feet Per M \$10
On Peach Stock.	" C 4 50	" C 4	" C 3	" C 3	" C 3	" C 2	" C 1 50
Alexander.....	110	..	220	1280	4570	880	..
Allbright's October.....	95	35	700	500	1650	770	100
Amelia.....	120	..	..	750	2575	1000	125
Amsden.....	..	..	..	850	1300	1350	..
Blood Cling.....	20	..	..	160	520	1980	1100
Belle of Ga.....	40	140	110	1850	2000	..	..
Bear's Smock.....	140	..	710	1400	5280	2800	475
Chinese Cling.....	220	..	..	510	630	2100	450
Crosby.....	..	..	25	10	970	660	..
Columbia.....	40	..	..	100	240	590	800
Crawford's Early.....	..	..	20	230	450	270	..
Crawford's Late.....	..	..	..	230	175	..	..
Early Rivers.....	500	225	700	1740	3350	5260	..
Early Tillotson.....	..	..	..	930	1370	1630	30
Elberta.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Family Favorite.....	30	..	40	410	915	1870	..
Foster.....	..	..	..	125	950	1110	..
F. St. John.....	..	..	..	1050	2925	1400	..
Gold Dust.....	40	90	..	..	650	2770	..
Globe.....	10	..	..	..	1280	1100	..
General Lee.....	..	..	..	..	1080	1830	900
Hynes Surprise.....	..	..	100	500	1630	910	160
Heath Cling.....	..	..	..	..	1100	570	..
Lady Ingold.....	40	..	..	1520	4100	1400	250
Lemon Cling.....	140	..	..	1080	1280	920	50
Mamie Rose.....	..	..	240	500	1980	780	280
Mountain Rose.....	..	..	..	2620	6600	460	..
Old Mixon Free.....	15	..	..	130	2000	70	..
Roeves' Favorite.....	10	4	..	790	3350	3000	575
Salway.....	20	10	70	110	1200	2160	1600
Susquehanna.....	..	..	..	210	1600	2340	520
Stump.....	160	..	..	..	1660	2000	..
Sneed.....	..	..	..	2140	5400	3540	..
Stephenson's Rareripec.....	30	20	..	290	1340	2130	630
Thurber.....	..	..	..	30	..	3120	..
Triumph.....	225	..	3230	5580	34350	11000	..
SPECIAL.	Per C \$8	Per C \$5.50	Per C \$5	Per C \$5	Per C \$4.50	Per C \$3.50	
Greensboro.....	325	450	3600	3180	1180		

QUINCES. 2 Yrs.	Tactica. 4 to 5 feet % to 11-16 Per M \$50	Tadpole. 4 to 5 feet 9-16 to % Per M \$45	Tuffy. 3 to 4 feet % to 9-16 Per M \$40	Tangle. 3 to 4 feet 7-16 to % Per M \$30	Our Quinces are all grafted from wood cut from bearing trees, so that we know them to be genuine. It is impossible to keep a lot of budded quinces pure.
Orange.....	1200	890	760	840	

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Transplanted.	" C 6	" C 5	" C 3	
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Brighton.....	1 60	15 00	2 50	20 00
Catawba.....	1 30	11 00	1 70	15 00
Champion or Tallman.....	1 10	10 00	1 60	14 00
Concord.....	90	7 00	1 40	11 00
Cynthiana.....	6 50	60 00	9 00	80 00
Delaware.....	2 50	22 00	3 30	30 00
Diamond.....	1 80	14 00	2 50	20 00
Dracut Amber.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Duchess.....	2 30	20 00	3 30	30 00
Eaton.....	4 00	35 00	5 50	50 00
Early Ohio.....	9 00	80 00	12 00	110 00
Early Victor.....	2 30	25 00	4 50	40 00
Elvira.....	1 20	11 00	1 70	15 00
Empire State.....	2 00	18 00	2 80	25 00
Gœthe (Rogers No. 1).....	6 50	60 00	10 00	90 00
Green Mountain.....	9 00	80 00	13 00	120 00
Hartford.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Ives.....	1 20	11 00	1 50	14 00
Jessica.....	6 00	55 00	8 00	75 00
Lady.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Lindley (Rog. No. 9).....	1 50	12 00	2 00	18 00
Lutie.....	6 50	60 00	9 00	80 00
Martha.....	2 00	18 00	3 00	30 00
Massasoit (Rog. No. 3).....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Merrimac (Rog. No. 19).....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Möyer.....	2 00	20 00	3 00	27 00
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Mo. Reissling.....	2 20	20 00	3 30	30 00
Niagara.....	1 00	9 00	1 60	14 00
Norton.....	5 50	50 00	8 00	75 00
Perkins.....	4 50	40 00	6 50	60 00
Pocklington.....	1 20	10 00	1 60	14 00
Prentiss.....	5 50	50 00	8 00	70 00
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Garber, per 1000, " 50;	" 40;	" 35;	" 30
Cincinnati, per 100, " 25;	" 20;	" 15;	" ...

Terms and conditions governing above quotations are the same as those given by the Huntsville Wholesale Nurseries.

THE HUNTSVILLE WHOLESALE NURSERIES PRICE LIST.

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RATES.—As we send this list to the trade only, we make the difference in prices between the 10, 100 and 1000 rates very slight—simply sufficient, as a rule, to cover the difference in the expense of handling in the smaller numbers. We uniformly tie in bunches of 10, when consistent with the order, and we suggest to our customers to make their orders for varieties in multiples of 10 as far as practicable. Orders for 50 and not over 300 trees, if for not less than 10 of a variety, will be charged at the rate per hundred, orders requiring 300 trees or more, and not less than 10 of a variety, will be filed at the lowest quoted prices. Orders for less than 10 trees of one variety, will be charged at the rate per ten.

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SHIPPING DIRECTIONS.—We respectfully beg our patrons to furnish us with explicit *directions as to shipping*, and the mode of conveyance by which they desire trees forwarded. When no particular directions are given, we forward according to the best of our judgment. *But in no case do we assume any responsibility as to safe delivery and condition of Trees and Plants after a proper shipment by us.*

RELEASE.—When prepayment of freight is not required, we will Release and Guarantee, and take forwarder's receipt and mail to consignee. It is left to the option of the shipper of trees over some railroads, whether he will release them or not under the clause "Value less than \$5.00 per 100 lbs." If released under this clause, the freight is less on roads governed by this classification, and we will assume it to be proper to make this release, without reference to the value of the trees, unless instructed to the contrary. This clause does not apply upon roads under some of the district classifications, and because of this confusion we will not be held responsible for any oversight to release, unless instructed by our customers. Claims for delay or loss must be made to the forwarders.

PACKAGES.—The cost of package must be added to the prices quoted in this list, as follows: Boxes 30 inches square, from 7½ to 9 feet long, as the trees may require, each \$2.50; boxes 24 inches, \$2.00; boxes 18 inches, \$1.50; bales from 25c. to 75c. each.

PACKING.—Goods will be packed in moss, and especial care taken to insure their arrival in the best condition.

ASSORTMENTS.—We do not require customers to take an assortment they do not wish, but will sell one variety alone if desired. If any substitution can be allowed, either in grade or variety, it should be so stated when making the order. As a rule we do not substitute without permission.

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prompt-paying customers. Parties with whom we have had no business transactions, will save time by sending reference, with order. We wish it expressly understood that payment is expected from the first collections made, and the time named is only intended as so many days of grace in which to make returns. To northern customers, who wish to lay in stock for Spring trade, we will ship late in Fall or early in Spring, and allow time for payment till May 15th. If shipment is required in the Fall for Spring use, a note is to be given upon receipt of the trees. We do not allow any discount for cash, but we make our prices low to command cash, or prompt returns. In orders when the time is not mentioned, 30 days is to be understood. Interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum must be paid on over due accounts. Should prices be changed, either higher or lower, during the season, the prices ruling at the time the order is made, are expected to stand.

FORMS OF PAYMENT.—All bills are payable at the office of the seller, and remittances should be made by drafts on New York, Chicago or St. Louis, or by money orders on some Express Company, or by postal orders. We will, however, accept checks from those of our customers who may be located at places having no banking, express or postal facilities, provided they make them in every case payable "with exchange", or add ¼ of one cent, to the amount of the bill for the cost of collection.

GRADES.—We grade very carefully, in some cases by caliper, in others by height. When graded by both caliper and height, the caliper must govern, as the height then named is only to be considered approximately. When graded by height or caliper, we include the lower number and exclude the higher. Instance: in a grade of 4 to 5 feet trees, the 4 feet trees are included, but not the 5 feet trees. If 5 feet trees are wanted, the 5 to 6 feet grade must be ordered.

GUARANTEE OF GENUINENESS.—While we exercise the greatest diligence and care to have all our Trees, etc., true to label, and hold ourselves in readiness, on proper proof, to replace all trees, etc., that may prove untrue to label, free of charge, or refund the amount paid, it is mutually understood and agreed to, between the purchaser and ourselves, that our guarantee of genuineness shall in no case make us liable for any sum greater than that originally received for said trees, etc., that shall prove untrue.

ACCEPTANCE.—Notice should be sent us by telegraph, at our expense, if there is any cause of complaint, or should the trees be refused, stating reasons. Claims for deduction, from whatever cause, will receive consideration only when made promptly upon the receipt of the trees. If trees show any signs of shrivelling upon arrival, they can usually be restored by being thoroughly watered and buried entirely under the ground for two or three days. Should there be any frost in the trees upon arrival, they should not be removed from the box until the frost is all out. The box should be placed in the cellar or protected in some other way. The presence of frost in the boxes is not to be considered an evidence of bad condition, as we pack to secure the trees against damage, if the frost is allowed to come out in the natural way. Goods will be considered accepted if removed from the boxes in which they are packed, without notice of complaint to us and without our orders for their disposition.

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